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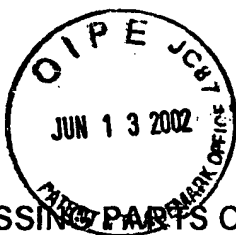
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

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APPLICANT(S) Anderson, et al. EXAMINER: Unassigned
U.S.S.N.: 10/091,742 GROUP: 3713
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FOR: Simulation System for Image-Guided Medical Procedures

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

The following is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, mailed April 11, 2002, in the above-referenced application.

Enclosed herewith for filing in the subject application are the following:

1. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed April 11, 2002;
2. A combined Declaration and Power of Attorney signed by the inventors (two (2) sets, five (5) pages each);
3. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement;
4. PTO Form 1449 and seven (7) cited references;

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5. Preliminary Amendment;
6. Surcharge in the amount of \$65.00 for late payment of filing fee and/or late filing of original declaration or oath; and
7. Return-receipt postcard.

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REMARKS

Please correct the filing receipt to reflect the first-named inventor as indicated on the declaration provided herewith, i.e., "James A. Anderson" should read "**James H. Anderson**".

Respectfully submitted,

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